

DIXON EVENING TELEGRAPH.

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DIXON, ILLINOIS FRIDAY AUGUST 4, 1905.

TWENTY-SECOND YEAR No. 180

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ANNA GEISENHEIMER.
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JAMES SLAIN KILLED BY NORTHWESTERN ENGINE

Dixon Young Man Was Struck at a
Crossing in DeKalb This
Morning.

HIS DEATH CAME INSTANTLY

Dropped Off From Freight in Front
of an Engine.

James Slain, son of Mrs. John Slain of 420 College avenue, was instantly killed at DeKalb this morning by the Sterling passenger. It appears that Mr. Slain stopped work at the W. M. Wells shoe factory in DeKalb yesterday, and had intended to go to Chicago this morning. In the city he was to be examined by the officials of the Northwestern railroad for the position of brakeman. This morning some of his acquaintances twitted him about not being able to dip off and on a freight train when in motion. To show his friends that he was able to get on and off at will, he took occasion to dip on and off a way-car which was going west. He jumped off the way-car at the Fourth street crossing onto the right-away of the Sterling passenger which was passing at that moment. The engine struck Mr. Slain, throwing him a distance of sixteen feet. When the body was picked up the man was dead. The coroner's inquest was held this afternoon, and the body was brought to Dixon.

Mr. Slain leaves a wife, who was formerly Miss Annie McCrystal of this city. She went to Chicago yesterday where she and her husband expected to make their home. Besides his wife, he leaves a mother, Mrs. John Slain, a sister, Miss Nellie Slain and a brother, Charles Slain, and Ed. and Will Condon who are half-brothers; all residing in Dixon.

DIXON ELKS VICTORS

Won Thursday's Ball Game From
Davenport Elks by Score
of 7 to 4.

WILL PLAY A RETURN GAME

Gate Receipts of About \$35 Go to
Kendall Charity Fund.

When out surveying some years ago, working on a contract to subdivide six townships of "wild" government land in Black Hawk county, Iowa, and while running a section line there appeared at the edge of the grove a drove of about sixty elk. It was a splendid menagerie in its primitive wilderness; long to be remembered. Splendid animals in all their primitive glory of wide spreading antler and flashing eyes.

Yesterday we saw down at Pleasure park two droves of Elks quite as wild and less dignified in their youthful antics than were the wild cousins of the deer family we saw in Iowa.

A ball team of Davenport, also Iowa, Elks, came to Dixon for the purpose of knocking out the Dixon ball team of Elks. But they reckoned without their hosts.

The Davenport Elks ball players were composed of leading citizens, lawyers and even judges, the latter most too dignified to play the frisky ball game.

The game opened at three p. m. Jack Null lead off with a daisy clipper, but it struck outside foul line.

Doctor Morris made the first run. You did not know he could run? Well, there is where you are off. He was off after a fine hit like a colt.

Frank Edwards made the second run. Frank was pitcher and the Elks from the Mississippi found it hard to find his balls.

Charlie Miller ran over a second baseman and got home on Doctor Bokhoff's fine hit.

The next incident of interest was a Davenport Elk taking his first base by reason of receiving a side crushing ball near the solar plexus.

Jack Null made a good hit but they found the ball.

Frank Edwards took a base on balls and a Davenport chap did some good work in the following innings and a batter made the first run, and Frank Edwards put side out by catching fly.

Ross Davis got base on balls and made a run.

Davenport Elk took base on a rib-crusher and was massaged by his brother players. In running to third he made an effort to knock Doctor Morris off his base, but went to grass himself.

Davenport took a base on one leg. Doctor Bokhoff made a fine hit and Ross Davis got hit. Paul Baker brought Doctor Bokhoff home. Jack Null brought Baker home on a fine hit and made a sort of shoot the shute slide to third.

The Iowans were not in it until amid great excitement, a Davenport got to first.

Edwards made a fine hit and home run, but the umpire, out of courtesy to the visiting Elks, pronounced it a foul.

Paul Baker caught a difficult fly and then the visiting team became hilarious and there was a hot time but coaches could not rattle the Dixon Elks.

Miller and Edwards made a fine battery and in fact all filled the bill.

PLAY AT DAVENPORT.

Last night the score of the game was given in the EVENING TELEGRAPH up to the seventh inning. The final score was 7 to 4 in favor of the Dixon Elks. However, the Dixon fellows enjoyed the contest so much that they got the local players to promise a return game which will probably be played August 19. Besides this game at Davenport the victorious ball players of Dixon will probably play several other games during the next few weeks. The proceeds from the game yesterday which will go the charity fund of the Kendall club will amount to about thirty-five dollars.

ON A STATE WARRANT

Man and Woman from Hammond,
Indiana. Arrested Here Today
by Deputy McGowan.

REQUEST OF WOMAN'S HUSBAND

Case Has Been Continued Until Next
Tuesday.

William Redington and Silvia Darlington of Hammond, Ind., were arrested at noon today by Deputy Sheriff M. J. McGowan at the residence of Mrs. Almira Heldman, 321 East First street, on a state warrant charging them with adultery and fornication. The complaining witness is Otto Darlington, husband of Silvia. They were before Justice Wm. L. Leach this afternoon at 2 o'clock for a hearing. Attorney John E. Erwin appeared for the defendants and asked for a continuance until Tuesday August 8 at 1 p. m. The continuance was granted upon the filing of bonds for \$150 by each.

William Redington has been living in Dixon about a year, being employed at the Stewart Press. Mrs. Darlington arrived here from Hammond, Ind., Wednesday, August 2. She told her husband she was going to Converse, Ind., to visit friends for about two weeks. Her husband suspected his wife was coming to Dixon, to meet Redington, he (Darlington) knowing that Redington was working here.

Darlington left at once for Dixon, reaching here last evening. He located Redington's boarding place. He went to Mrs. Heldman's residence this morning and on inquiry for Redington was told by Mrs. Heldman that he and his wife were upstairs in their room.

Darlington came down town and had a warrant sworn out for the couple's arrest.

WIFE LEFT HUSBAND BEFORE.

About six months ago Mrs. Darlington left her home and came to Dixon to see Redington, remaining here over a month.

Redington and Darlington have been close friends for a long time, Redington being a frequent visitor at the Darlington home. During all this time Darlington states Redington was making love to Mrs. Darlington when Mr. Darlington discovered this there was trouble and Mrs. Darlington finally left her husband.

CLAIMS TO HAVE DIVORCE.

Mrs. Darlington claims to have gotten a divorce and that she and Redington have since

GRAND JUBILEE CONCERT COMES TOMORROW NIGHT

Dr. Eaton Will Lecture Tonight on
"The Political Teeter Board,"
Dixies Will Sing.

PROF. LONG GAVE FINE ADDRESS

Attorney Bardwell on "The Best Side
Of Literature."

A change has been made in the Assembly program. This evening Dr. Eaton will give his lecture on "Political Teeter Board" instead of tomorrow evening as he will have to leave the city Saturday. The Jubilee singers will be on the program tonight but will reserve their grand concert for Saturday night, when they will occupy the entire evening.

At the bible school this forenoon Dr. Coover discussed "Islamism and the Bible Doctrine of Freedom." Many interesting facts and significant teachings were brought out in the study.

At 11 o'clock this morning Dr. Eaton lectured on the subject of "Evolution, What is False and What is True." He stated that evolution as a general proposition is true in so far as it pertains to development, but that it cannot produce life or species. His subject was ably handled. At 11 o'clock tomorrow Dr. Eaton will continue the discussion of this subject.

LIGHTNING AND TOOTHPICKS.

The program at the auditorium Thursday afternoon began with music by the Tipton Juvenile Band, Geo. McLarand, leader. The selections played were such as evinced careful training and the audience was well pleased.

At 2:30 Miss Florence Bryant was announced for a violin solo. She chose a very sweet selection, but not one that showed her remarkable skill so well as some others. A hearty encore was followed by another captivating number.

The lecture at the auditorium yesterday afternoon was by Prof. Sylvester A. Long, whose subject was "Lightning and Toothpicks." It is a pleasure to hear this gifted speaker who thinks logically and speaks with clearness and force. He deals with his subject analytically and brings to bear with convincing power not only all the forces of rhetoric and art, but the element we may term the personal equation which is very effective.

There is some advantage in an indefinite subject. My subject is all right when you understand it. There is a certain relation between lightning and toothpicks, as we shall see.

There are three words in the English of stupendous import, all joy and sorrow, all hope and despair, all happiness and all misery depend upon them. The first is law, the second is love, and the third is habit. But you ask what has that got to do with lightning and toothpicks. First the reign of law. Have you ever stopped to think how saturated society is with superstition and credulity?

If you dream you get struck by lightning it's a sign you are going to get married. There may be something more than superstition in that.

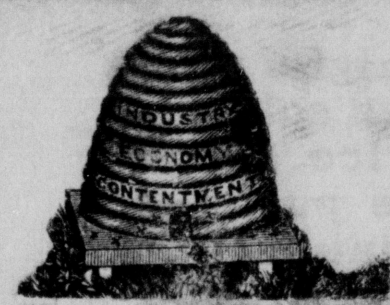
The speaker here began one of the most beautiful and dramatic imaginative descriptions that has ever been given from the Assembly platform. It was the approach of the storm, its progress and fury, and its final passing.

Once I was looking at an old fence post that had been shattered by a lightning stroke. An old man was standing by who said to me, "Boy, if you will take one of those splinters and pick your teeth with it, you will never again have the tooth-ache."

Put your life in harmony with law and you will succeed. One reason why we have so many poor people in this world is because we have so many people who cannot give the world what it wants.

The arning of big salaries in this country by some men, trusts or no trusts, is not a matter of chance but of law. You get such a salary if you satisfy a want.

A little boy was sitting on his grandma's lap and looking up into her face he said, "Grandma, how old are you?" She answered, "I am 80 years old, Willie." "Well, grandma you won't live very long will you?" She answered "No, Willie I can't expect to live much longer". Well grandma when you die and I die will I be near you?" "Yes, Willie, Oh, Willie I love you", and she hugs the little fellow closely. "Grandma, if you love



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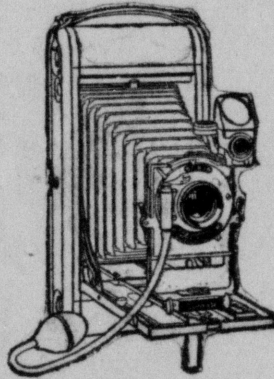
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EAST PAWPAW.

East Pawpaw, Aug. 3 — Wm. Atherton for the past week has been hauling lumber for a new barn.

Ed. Frazer, Jr., of Waterman, is here with relatives this week.

Mr. Cox of Shabbona visited his daughter, Mrs. Herman Shultz, Monday.

Tommy Lynch for the past week has been visiting relatives at Shabbona.

A number of our young people attended the Woodmen's picnic at Hinckley last Thursday.

Miss Mary Deming spent a few days of last week with relatives and friends at DeKalb.

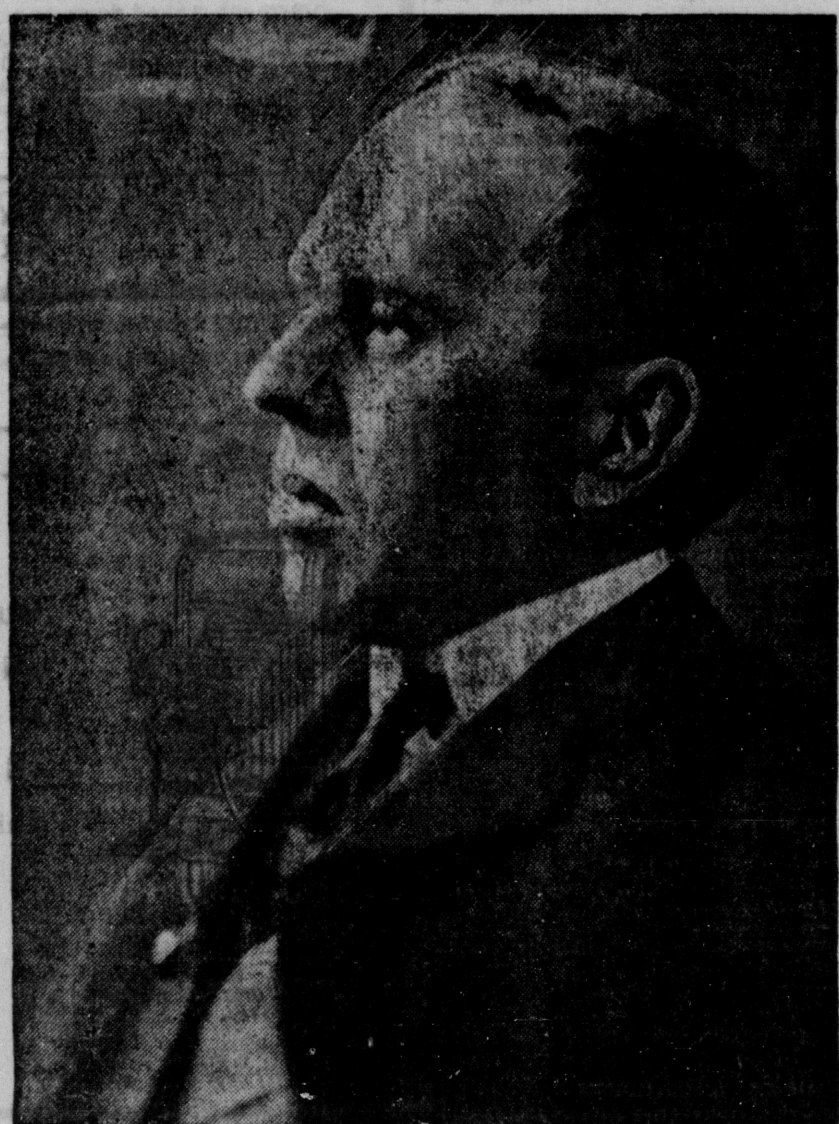
John Lobdel made a business trip to Dixon Wednesday.

Mrs. Fred Clapsaddle and Mrs. Mary Clapsaddle of Leland and Miss Lella Clapsaddle of Rolo visited at the home of John Kirk's, Wednesday.

George Deming went to John Cutt's Tuesday with his threshing outfit, ready to begin threshing, Wednesday.

Mrs. L. W. Jamison and son, Dewey, from Lamons, Iowa, visited at the home of Ruben Perkins last week and called on all of her old friends of this place and Monday went to Amboy for a short stay with relatives before returning.

Telegraph's New Serial Will Start Tomorrow



GEORGE BARR M'CUTCHEON.

No author is more popular today with the story-reading public than George Barr McCutcheon, the author of "Granstark," therefore THE TELEGRAPH is pleased to be able to announce that it will provide its readers an opportunity to read his recent success, "Brewster's Millions." This is a fascinating story of adventure which gives the popular author full play for his ingenious skill. It is the story of a young man who was willed a million dollars with the stipulation that he must spend it all within a year, and it is expressly stated that he must spend it and not give it away. We would perhaps all like to be in his position, but whether we will think so before the story is finished remains to be seen. The opening chapters of the story will be printed next Saturday, August 5th.

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Governor Douglas of Massachusetts is reported willing to accept renomination. Evidently it is a case of shoemaker stick to your last.

With Root back as Secretary of State, there are several prospective starters in the 1908 who are looking for tacks on the tack.

Secretary Bonaparte has refused to accept railroad passes. Possibly this is in deference to the bulk of Secretary Taft who is said to need two for each trip.

If Tom Lawson carries out his threat of placing Mr. Rockefeller in the hands of a receiver, there are a good many people who would like the job.

Ex-Representative Funston must have used awful language in Kansas to have been arrested for "inflammatory utterances." Kansas had already heard Jerome, LaFollette and Lawson without going for her gag or handcuffs.

HONEY CREEK.

Honey Creek, Ogle county, Aug. 3.—Little Margaret Bates of Franklin Grove has been visiting at Mrs. F. W. Carpenter's and Mrs. Forest Carpenter's.

Mr. Hall of Dixon visited last week at Willard Parlin's. While there Mr. Parlin took him to Rockford.

Mrs. Tom Williams and daughter Lana visited at Mrs. Averill's Tuesday and Miss Lana spent the rest of the week with Misses Myrtle and Leona.

Ernest Averill, who met such a sad death in Rock River July 17, carried a policy for \$1,000 in the National Life Insurance company for the benefit of his mother. He also carried an accident insurance for \$200 for her benefit. Mrs. Averill is very grateful for the prompt settlement of the National. She received her check July 29, making not quite two weeks since his death.

Miss Mary Winters visited Mrs. Averill Saturday.

Mr. Pluester, who has been sick so long, died last Wednesday and was buried Friday at the German church northeast of Oregon.

Threshing has begun in this neighborhood, Mr. John Hanes being the first to get his threshing done.

Mrs. Susie Parks and son of Aurora came Saturday to visit her brother, Willard Parlin for a few days.

Mrs. Averill and family visited Friday with Mrs. Averill's mother, Mrs. Cole in Daysville.

Mrs. Carrie Burlingame of Oregon has been secured to teach the Daysville school next term.

Mrs. John Barden and daughters, A. Barden and Mrs. Burnett, of Oregon visited Mrs. Averill Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Irma Grow of Oregon is spending a few days with Mrs. Grace Carpenter.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Averill expect to start for southern Wisconsin in search of land next Monday. They will be gone about a week. Mr. Averill's mother will stay with the children and keep house in Mrs. Averill's absence.

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SUBLETTE.

Sublette, Ill., Aug. 4.—The dry weather the past few weeks, enabled farmers to store this liberal crop of hay, in good condition. Oats is being pushed seven days in a week. But little of the grain is lodged, and the yield in both quantity and quality is gratifying. Corn and pastures now need rain.

Dr. Owen is visiting his daughter in South Dakota.

An elderly gentleman from Chicago came out to escort a little Miss Benedict back, who usually makes a long visit each summer, at the home of Mrs. Gardner.

Grace Barton McLaren, returned to her home in Galien, Mich., Tuesday. Mrs. Chancery McLaughlin, better known by the name of Lizzie Bates, has returned to her home near Storm Lake, Iowa. She has been here a few weeks, helping care for J. C. Stearns, her foster father. Our venerable Mr. Stearns has been critically ill, for several weeks. We are glad to think he is improving.

On Tuesday, two runaway teams did some damage. Bausau brothers, butchers, left their team with meat wagon, by their door. The horses started out, independently, and wrecked the wagon in their run. Everett Smith's horses got frightened at a tramp in the road and did some damage, the extent of which I did not learn. J. B. B.

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—Mr. Withers, better known as the husband of Jennie Anderson, has rented half of the lower part of the Dr. Hunt building and will put in his stock of jewelry.

—Mrs. John Burns, who lives near the Zion church, won the prize given at the Barry cash store for the party bringing the largest number of eggs for the month of July, she having brought Mrs. Barry 51 dozen.

RAILROAD TIME TABLE

CHICAGO & NORTH-WESTERN RAILROAD WEST BOUND.	
No. 8—1:52 a. m.—* Pacific Express	
No. 18—10:28 a. m.—* Clinton Local	
No. 5—12:44 p. m.—* Omaha Pass	
No. 7—3:45 p. m.—* Cedar Rapids Pass	
No. 17—5:49 p. m.—* Sterling Pass	
No. 25—8:45 p. m.—* N. W. Ia. & Dak. Sp	
No. 11—9:14 p. m.—* Colorado Spl	
No. 1—10:23 p. m.—* Overland Lim.	
No. 863—7:40 a. m.—* Peoria passenger	
No. 131—11 a. m.—* Freight, passengers from Franklin Grove to Clinton.	
EAST BOUND.	
No. 8—3:25 a. m.—* Omaha and Chi. Exp	
No. 6—4:52 a. m.—* Atlantic Exp	
No. 16—6:16 a. m.—* Iowa & Dak. Spl	
No. 2—8:37 a. m.—* Overland Lim	
No. 18—7:19 a. m.—* Sterling Pass	
No. 20—10:32 a. m.—* Cedar Rapids Pass	
No. 14—8:50 p. m.—* Des Moines Pass	
No. 12—6:17 p. m.—* Chicago Spl	
No. 28—4:15 p. m.—* Clinton Pass	
*Daily. J. J. CARTY, Agent.	
ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD NORTH BOUND.	
No. 129—Omaha Day Express, daily except Sunday 9:37 a. m.	
No. 124—Northern Express, daily, 5:40	
No. 122—Local Freight, except Sunday 12:45 p. m.	
SOUTH BOUND.	
No. 128—daily, 10:35 a. m.	
No. 131—daily except Sunday, 4:00 p. m.	
Amboy Local Freight, daily except Sunday 8:15 a. m.	
L. BACKUS, Ticket Agent I. C. R. R.	
WART CHICAGO AND N. W. MAIL CLOSURE	
No. 18 Sterling Passenger N. P. O.	
7:19 a. m.	8:55 a. m.
No. 30 C. R. & C. B. R. P. O.	
10:35 a. m.	10:10 a. m.
No. 14 Express pouch	
Franklin Grove and Ashton, Ill	
8:52 p. m.	8:30 p. m.
No. 10 C. R. & C. B. R. P. O. does not stop at Dixon, a. m.	8:00 p. m. 4 44
WEST.	
No. C. O. R. & C. B. R. P. O.	
12:44 p. m.	12:19 p. m.
No. 17 C. R. & C. B. R. P. O.	5:45 p. m.
No. 13 R. P. O.	8:17 p. m.
No. 9 C. O. R. & C. B. R. P. O.	
11:59 p. m.	8:00 p. m.
*Grand Detour, Ill., leave daily except Sunday at 7:00 a. m.	
*Daily except Sunday	
*Daily	

THE BEND.

The Bend, Aug. 4.—Threshing is in full blast.

Clarence Kalebough went to Pine Creek Wednesday evening.

Miss Shaver expects to go to Polo for a two weeks' stay.

Mrs. Pankhurst of Grand Detour visited at Rosedale Monday.

Chas. B. Tripp and James Boyer visited the T. Rosbrook family Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillips entertained friends and relatives Sunday.

Mrs. T. Rosbrook and mother drove to the M. Harvey home Wednesday.

John Hetler has the finest lot of Jersey pigs in these parts.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Glessner and son visited Ira Adams Sunday.

Miss Palmer of Grand Detour is to be the teacher at The Bend school. The directors held a business meeting Thursday night. Our school will begin September 11.

The attendance at the Sunday school is very poor. It is hoped it will be better.

Mrs. Secoy has a new surrey.

Mrs. A. J. Heaton visited Mrs. Brinks.

Every body is attending the Assembly.

Ray Shaver makes regular visits to Dixon.

Dowle has just paid off \$400,000 in debts. The courts discharged him from bankruptcy and it is safe to say the creditors did not ask how he came by it.

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WHERE PUBLIC IS CARELESS.

The public ought to use more care about the electric cars. Children run out and stand on the track until the car is near them and then jump aside. Thursday morning a young lad old enough to know better stood on the tracks while a car was approaching him down the grade on College avenue. The lad would not move and the motorman was compelled to almost stop his car. A representative of THE EVENING TELEGRAPH was aboard and witnessed the occurrence.

Wednesday afternoon an old gentleman of this city who was driving with some lady friends in a surrey on the North Side had a very narrow escape from being struck by a city car. The old man was careless. He drove right upon the track with the car in sight coming toward him. It was the old story, "I thought I could make it ahead of the car." The motorman saw at once what would happen and instantly shut off the current. It was done just in time for when the car stopped it was against the wheels of the surrey. Had anything gone wrong with the power or motor, nothing could have prevented the surrey from being crushed, and possibly some of the occupants killed or maimed for life. People should use judgment.

The same caution should be used in regard to automobiles. Children are in the habit of running ahead of the machine and try to act "smart." This should be stopped. Of course the driver of the automobile and the motorman should use the utmost care, but in nine cases out of ten the general public are the more careless.

BAD EMIGRANTS.

Emigrants from China are not now the only menace to our American civilization. The Washington bureau of immigration gives out the statement that there came from southeastern Europe during the past year over a million of illiterate emigrants, the most dangerous class of people, and it would appear that Congress must put up new bars on such steerage passengers to this country. It would appear, according to satisfactory statistics, that the steamship companies have begun to compete for steerage business, they have opened up new ports of departure from southeastern Europe, and there is every reason to believe certain European countries are deliberately dumping their worst classes upon the United States, with the aim in view of reducing their proportion of possible socialist agitators and disturbers.

It has been but a comparatively short while since the Hungarian government made a suspicious contract with the Cunard Steamship company. As a result of this a new steamship line was established by the Cunard people with its point of departure at Flume and Trieste. The Hungarian government agreed to furnish the steamship company with a certain number of emigrants, and the line was established direct for the purpose of giving the Hungarians the benefit of this traffic, which previously had gone northward across Germany.

Thus we may account for the marvelous increase in this ignorant class of emigrants. European governments are, undoubtedly, dumping their anarchists and worst class of people upon the United States at a most fearful rate.

This "home of the oppressed from all lands" racket is a nice Fourth of July sentiment, but if this thing keeps on Uncle Sam's home will become unpleasant for the old man.

EASTERN STAR MEETS

Work on Two Candidates at the Session Tonight.

Dorothy Chapter, Order Eastern Star, will meet in regular session on Friday evening, Aug. 4th at 8 p. m., at the Masonic Temple, corner First street and Peoria avenue, to which all members of the order who may be visiting in town or attending the Assembly are extended a cordial invitation to attend.

There will be work on two candidates, after which light refreshments will be served.

It is expected that a number from Amboy will drive over, a chapter being instituted at that place quite recently.

—Miss Stella Young of Oregon was a Dixon visitor Thursday.

KEEP THE BLUE FIELD UP

A Little Lesson on the Flag Taught at the Assembly.

The educational effects of the Rock River Assembly sometimes works two ways. An instance of this was noticed yesterday by a certain Dixon gentleman. Probably some have noticed how the bunting is decorated on the outside walls of the rooms which are on the side of the tabernacle stage. Instead of the blue field being at the top, the national colors are draped so that the stars in the blue field are at the bottom. In the language of the flag this means that either the army or navy is in distress. And such a draping of the national colors brought down some severe criticism yesterday on the part of a few members of the G. A. R. All bunting which has the national colors should be hung so that the red is at the bottom, then the white and finally the field of blue at the top. It seems that when the delegation from Polo arrived yesterday on the assembly grounds they were in a quandary as to how the colors should be draped. A there was quite a discussion among the members of the Woman's Relief Corps whether the blue field should be at the top of the bunting or whether it should be at the bottom. Accordingly, when they saw the colors draped in the tabernacle with the stars down, they at once draped their colors the same way. If they had not been corrected by a Dixon veteran they would probably have gone home with colors indicating that the army and navy were in distress.

Such an error would probably not be so liable to happen in the state of Indiana for in that commonwealth the flag language is taught in the public schools. The children are taught to uncover before the flag, and to stand when the national hymn is sung. Questions concerning flag etiquette are inserted in the examinations.

BIG GAME TOMORROW

Morrison Will Play Dixon Browns at Athletic Park Saturday Afternoon.

WHIPPLE-PATRICK THE BATTERY

Davy Jones Will Join Nationals Next Spring.

Saturday afternoon the Dixon Browns will play the Morrison aggregation at Athletic park; the game is posted for 3 o'clock. This game will be followed by one on Sunday afternoon at Central park between the same teams. Tomorrow the battery for the Browns will be Whipple and Patrick and on Sunday Woodyatt and Patrick. The Morrison battery at Athletic park will be Pisel and Abbott, and at Central park Reese and Abbott. Kennedy's boys are in good trim and will put up a tight-to-the-finish game tomorrow afternoon, as they will have to if they hope to win from their fast opponents. Manager Kennedy states that the admission tomorrow afternoon will be the same as at Central park. Ladies will be admitted free to the grounds, but they will be charged a small admission to the reserved seats.

DIXON TWIRLER PROMOTED.

Many people in Dixon will remember the Davy Jones who played on Dixon College team several years ago. Lately he has been the star outfielder of the Minneapolis club of the American association, now he will be sold or traded to the Washington club this fall and will join the Nationals next spring. Davy had his first engagement with Decatur, Ill., in the Three-Eye League, and was discovered with Claude Elliott. He was signed for the Boston American League club and later joined Chicago. He also played St. Louis. Last spring he was released by Chicago.

NO NIGHT OPERATOR

Consequently North Dixon Station Is Not Open Nights.

Some Polo people who were here attending the Assembly complained because the North Dixon station of the Illinois Central was not open at night. It is not supposed to be open nights as there is no night operator there. Travelers will always find the regular Dixon station of the Central open 24 hours of the day and when they want to take a night train they should go to the regular station where they will find accommodations of the best. The suburban station in North Dixon is an added accommodation for day travelers, which deserves appreciation instead of criticism.

Plan for Crippled Children.

A meeting will be held at the Presbyterian church tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 to make arrangements for entertaining the crippled children from Chicago at Assembly park. It is requested that representatives of each of the churches be present.

RECORD BREAKING RACE

The Broncho Lowers Time Made at Chicago Track by Quarter of a Second.

PAGES ONE HEAT IN 2.06 1-2

Wins Special Event Against Eleanor B. at Streator.

Another record breaking race was paced by The Broncho yesterday at the Streator meet. The little Dixon mare went the first heat of the race on a heavy track in 2:06 1/2. This time reduces her record at the Chicago track by a quarter of a second. The other two heats were taken by Bob Adams' little mare in 2:07 1/2, 2:07 1/2; beating Eleanor B. The latter pacer was the one that took first money in a free-for-all at Ottawa in which The Broncho got second place. The race between The Broncho and Eleanor B. was arranged for lowering the circuit record of 2:08 1/2; the purse for this feat being \$300, which was very easily taken by the record breaking time of The Broncho. The Dixon mare by her work at Streator holds the world's pacing record for three beats over a half-mile track. In addition she reduced the state pacing record of 2:08 1/2, which she made herself at the Chicago track a few weeks ago. The special race was started by Judge Newton, the official starter of the grand circuit, and more than 700 people witnessed Trainer Charles Dean drive the wonderful little mare belonging to Bob Adams; summaries:

Special race, purse \$300:
The Broncho (Dean) 1 1 1
Eleanor B. (Johnson) 2 2 2
Time—2:06 1/2; 2:07 1/2; 2:07 1/2.

MRS. MARSHALL BROWN DEAD

Loved Woman Passed Away Thursday Afternoon at Hospital.

The public was not entirely unprepared for the sad announcement of the death at 5 o'clock Thursday evening of Mrs. Inez I. Brown, wife of Marshall Brown, for she had been very low with a chronic ailment for some time and underwent an operation that morning at the Dixon hospital with the hope of relieving her condition.

She was the friend of all who knew her and many homes are saddened by the passing of this noble life. As a wife, mother and friend her life was ideal and her memory will ever be honored by those who knew her. Mrs. Brown was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George M. Deland and was born in Dixon October 30, 1856. On December 25, 1877, she was married to Marshall Brown and besides her husband she leaves three children: Charles M. and George M. of Polo and Frank L. of Dixon; three girls died in childhood. She also leaves a brother George A. Deland, as well as her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George M. Deland.

The funeral services will be held at the late home on the E. C. Smith farm at 10 o'clock Saturday morning.

DIED IN GERMANY.

F. A. Minssen of Palmyra has received word of the death of his sister, Katherina Elizabeth, wife of William Heintzen, at Oldenberg, Germany. Her death occurred July 9th from paralysis and she was 66 years of age.

Rain Did Not Dampen Party.

Although the saying of "water, water everywhere," etc., was literally true for a boat ride last night, yet the boating party planned by Miss Reynolds in honor of her friends Miss Peabody of Evanston was carried out much to the pleasure of her guests. The party numbered about thirty five people; the first part of the evening was spent in a boat ride to Arion park. There to the accompaniment of music by the Dixon Mandolin club the guests enjoyed a short dance program, after which refreshments were served. The chaperones were Mr. and Mrs. H. G. and George Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Fuller and Miss Abbie Morris. The guests from out of town were Miss Corna of Racine, Wis., Miss Pettibone and Miss Mary Dement of Chicago, and Miss Peabody of Evanston.

He Wanted to Know.

Scotchmen are fond of an argument, and delight to find flaws in an opponent's logic. Two blacksmiths were once conversing as to which was the first trade in the world. One insisted that it must have been gardening, and quoted from Genesis: "Adam was put into the garden of Eden to dress it and keep it." "Aye, John," retorted the other, who had stood up for his own trade, "but who made the spades?"

Must Have Been Joe.

Mamma—No, dear, the Atlantic ocean never freezes over. Elsie—Oh, but it must. I heard papa telling Mr. Gerty that when he was coming across from Europe the last time he had his skates on all the time.

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DEMENT-TOWN DOINGS

Miss Mary Gleason will go to Chicago Saturday to visit friends.

Mrs. Grady and two children are here from Chicago visiting friends.

T. R. Burton of Chicago was here on business with F. W. Tillson Thursday.

Who was the naughty person that sent Sky the postal? Don't get the poor boy so excited.

Carl Northrup has an offer of \$2,000 a month—when Ed. starts his candy store on State street.

Alderman Ferris, wife and mother of Sterling will be guests in Dement-town Saturday and Sunday.

The Eagles will fly around tonight. Two "Eaglets" will be given the rudiments of flying. Flop your wings.

No man ever helped himself by knocking other people down. Don't roast. Be jolly. Push your friend with you.

Camp "Skyrocket" will open next week. The principal promoters this year are Charles O'Malley and John McMahan.

Dement-town went to see Stephan play ball Thursday. What was the matter Harry? Why did you disappoint them.

Ben and Henry, the old sports, were calling on friends on the Avenue this morning. There's two boys that are all right. Same old Henry. Same old Ben.

Patrick McGuire has gone back to Chicago. Mr. McGuire has improved very much since his recent illness. This will be good news for his many friends.

Another reporter in Dement-town. Shake, old man. Keep a stiff upper lip and you'll win. Look out for 'em, some of 'em may want to be too friendly. Be dignified and you'll make a hit.

Steve: "Mike I was held up the other night."

Mike: "Didn't get much. Your a blank. No use to hold you up."

Steve: "I'll bet you a dollar I have more money right now than you have."

Mike: "I'll take that bet. Put up the money."

Mike put up the money and Steve, Oh, where was he? Poor Steve pulled from his pockets way bills, match boxes, toothpicks, time tables, etc., but no money.

Steve did have a quarter, but Mike won the bet, that is he would have won had Steve put up the money.

Steve got the laugh and the manager of the Fletcher Co. laughed as hard as the rest. Steve's train pulled up, the big fellow jumped aboard and as he turned the corner he was still putting back in his pockets the way-bills and time tables.

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YOUTH BROKE HIS LEG

Merton Ransom Fell Through Barn Floor at Nelson Today.

Merton Ransom, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Ransom, who live east of Nelson on the Dixon road, broke his leg close to the hip about 11 o'clock this forenoon by falling from the upper to the lower floor of the barn on the John Dampken place in Nelson. The youth is about 15 years of age. A physician from Dixon attended to his injuries.

Grape Juice—Pure and Unfermented—served at our fountain. Walgreen-Davis Co.

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me won't you give me a quarter?" And he got it, and it was not a matter of chance but of law. Men do not consider what difference of potential they are building up in their lives until the flash strikes, and then the realization comes.

The speaker's second topic, love, was next considered. A young lady was once asked, "what is love?" She answered "Oh love is, oh, it is a sort of an inward expression of outward all overhissness".

Think of the poor, the needy, the distressed in our land today. These people are suffering, not by chance but for the fault of some one. themselves or another, who has put them under the reign of unfriendly law.

The strength of Prof. Long seems to lie very largely in his mighty power of dramatic illustration.

THE BEST IN LITERATURE

At 4:30 p. m. Attorney A. C. Bardwell of this city entertained an attentive audience at Chautauqua hall, his address being entitled "The Best Side of Literature." This was a scholarly paper, full of good things. He showed what literature is not, and clearly demonstrated that a very large part of what some mistake for literature has no reasonable excuse for existence.

A man stops short of honesty who is not honest with himself. Our reading bears directly upon our habits of thought, and this again upon the acts of our lives. No other success equals that of the man or woman who develops a well-rounded character. Some of the closing sentences were as follows:

Then why ostracise the novel as a type or class? For no valid reason. Nor should a dry, unflavored pabulum of science, history, philosophy and religion be forced down on the mental guile of anybody, child or grown-up, as a substitute. Such a highhanded outrage would deserve the serious attention of the society for the prevention of cruelty to animals.

Whether it be in story, verse or prose, or whether it be in essay, address, biography, history or drama, let us have all the wholesome cheer, all the sunshine, all the joy of abundant life. The booksets we experience are many and disappointments flock around us at every sunset, like birds to their perch, still the morrow smiles on us and bids us cheer as if nothing had befallen us. Why should we not do the same, not forgetting, but still rejoicing.

The books we read have much to do in shaping us to this point of true living. We may skim over superficial books as a pastime, innocently enough, or gallop over the pages of a work of true literature, which has survived or will survive centuries, with no harm occurring, except the loss of the richness which the mere plot-hunter has missed but the book which does us most good is the one we reluctantly close, not because of the succession of harrowing situations which we have breathlessly, if not tearfully followed chapter by chapter, but because of the undefined feeling left with us that it has touched a spot, soothed an unrest, or satisfied a longing somewhere within us.

A book worth reading has engaged the thought of the author in its conception and his labor in its construction for a number of years and nearly every line has been rewritten many times in order that it may best express the shade of thought intended by the writer—such is the laborious, painstaking process by which all great stories or other memorable works have been produced. But we rush through it as if it were a mere penny-a-liner dashed off for the morning press and then solemnly pass judgment.

Only the book which we part with reluctantly and which we hope to read again, returns value received for the effort, and it is only within the lids of such a book that the best side of literature can be found.

THURSDAY EVENING.

At 7:30 Thursday evening Manager Blanche introduced the Dixie Jubilee Singers who sang for about twenty minutes previous to the beginning of the lecture of the evening.

These singers are to be with us several days and will entertain delightfully whenever they appear.

They made an excellent impression last evening upon the large audience assembled.

After the usual announcements by Dr. Blanche, Mrs. Marie Rosenberg Fay was announced and sang a beautiful solo, and the audience gave no rest until she appeared again. This time she sang by request a delightful German song greatly to the pleasure of all, and particularly to Dr. Blanche and others familiar with the language of the song.

GHOSTS AND WITCHES.

Dr. Eaton being introduced gave an amusing preface to his lecture on "Ghosts, Goblins, and Witches".

There are phenomenal endowments but they have no magic in them. There are such things as presentiments. Many mysterious things can



Madam Mountford of Palestine,
Who will Lecture at the Assembly Saturday and Sunday Afternoons.

be explained by the laws of nature if we understand them

Whenever these mysterious things occur and there is no fraud practised there is or may be a rational explanation. Some or all these are due to what is called psychic force.

The speaker exhibited a planchette and explained certain phenomenal produced by it. He also told of some grievous mistakes made by planchette in a test.

At 8:30 a heavy rainstorm with thunder and lightning began and made it difficult for Dr. Eaton to be heard beyond a radius of about forty feet. Rain fell in torrents until 9:10 after which the Doctor's voice could again be heard throughout the building. He said: "If a man steps on a carpet tack it will take him one eighth of a second to find it out. A dispatch goes to the brain from the heel and says, 'We're on a tack down here'". The answer goes back in another eighth of a second and says, "Get Off". If he sits down on a tack the time is shorter.

Many a man is said to die of heart-failure, when in fact his death is due to a dream.

The mind has its influence upon nervous condition, but the mind can't cure a broken bone or any organic disease.

You can see ghosts if you see them by the subjective mind. The eyes of flesh will then see them somewhere. You cannot always tell whether your impressions are subjective or objective, whether within or without.

The doctor discussed briefly the subject of clairvoyance, and explained the mystery of this process. The clairvoyant knows what you know but beyond this their assertions are all guess work. This is because a clairvoyant is a mind reader.

Mind reading which is done at long distances is called telepathy. Any abnormal state especially of the nervous system, is conducive to telepathy or thought transference. Several instances of this phenomena were cited.

Dr. Eaton's lecture was very interesting especially to those who have made a study of the subjective mind and its numerous phenomena. All who desire to pursue this study further would do well to read Dr. Thomson J. Hudson's famous book, "The Laws of Psychic Phenomena."

Tomorrow will be another big day at the Assembly. Dr. Coover's Normal Bible school is always interesting and instructive.

From all reports of those who have heard her, the lecture at 2:30 tomorrow by Madam Von Finkelstein Mountford will be one of the great features of the Assembly. She will be assisted by seventeen people in her lecture, "Impersonation of Life in the Holy Land." She is very highly commended by the press wherever she has been, and all who can possibly do so, should hear her both tomorrow and Sunday. The growth of Mormonism and its influence will be discussed at the Round Table conference at 4:30 by Harry Edwards.

ASSEMBLY NOLES.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Powers of Sterling, with guests, Miss Nellie Miller and Miss Margaret Carroll both of Chicago, occupy a tent on the west side of First street. These names were unintentionally omitted from the list published a few days ago.

Miss Martha Burns, Miss Mabel Burns, Mrs. Maude Shepard of Fenton, Ill., and Miss Ella Galvin of Garden Plain, Ill., are attending the Assembly.

J. H. Grant, representative of the National Daily Review of Chicago, is a guest at the Assembly hotel. The Assembly reporter is a subscriber to this paper and considers it the best paper that he ever read. There is every day one high class article of great value.

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been married. She states that she got this divorce about a year and a half ago, and that they married a year ago last 4th of July.

WOMAN IS PRETTY.

Mrs. Darlington is a small, pretty and attractive looking young woman and dresses well.

Darlington is a printer and is a fine looking gentleman. Redington is an innocent looking young man and since his residence in Dixon has been a steady worker and attending strictly to his business.

Assistant State's Attorney Harry Edwards is prosecuting this case.

Mr. Darlington will remain in Dixon for the present. Redington and Mrs. Darlington will remain in Dixon until after the hearing next Tuesday.

Miss Lavina Hammer, Mrs. Chas. Houch and Mrs. Ira Willsey of Morrison were on the Assembly grounds Thursday.

Rev. John A. Bright, children's evangelist, of Topeka, Kas., who is here attending the Assembly, will go to Davenport to preach next Sunday morning and evening in the Lutheran church for Dr. Blanche.

George Logan and wife of Amboy were Assembly visitors Wednesday.

John Myers of Polo attended the Assembly Wednesday.

Miss Ina Lapham and Florence Green of Morrison have joined the campers at the Green cottage.

Some of the later names on the Assembly Hotel register are:

Mrs. A. H. Healey, Milledgeville; Mrs. A. E. Beebe, Forrester; W. T. Smith, Steward; Clarence Smith, Steward; Harold Smith, Steward; Mrs. E. Gilbert, Ashton; H. T. Healey, Milledgeville; Mrs. W. F. Colson and daughter, Amboy; Alice Felker, Amboy; Mrs. F. N. Vaughan, Amboy; A. W. Wright, Polo; James H. Moore, Polo; James L. Reed, Polo; Adah B. Turner, Elroy, Ill.; C. E. Sheldon, Sterling; E. R. Buck, Franklin Grove; D. L. Reiff, Franklin Grove; G. S. Duntun, Compton; R. H. Nelson, Amboy; S. A. Long, Dayton, Ohio; Hattie Dietz, Polo; J. F. Shaw and wife, Rock Falls; A. E. Seise, Lena; Emma Wetzel, Ashton; Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Berry, Amboy; Wm. Beers, Van Orin.

All members of the Eastern Star visiting at the Assembly are invited to attend the session of Dorothy chapter at Masonic hall this evening.

EIGHT PRISONERS ESCAPE

Wholesale Jail Delivery at Sioux City This Morning.

Special to THE TELEGRAPH:—Sioux City, Iowa, Aug. 4.—A wholesale jail delivery occurred here this morning when eight prisoners escaped from the county jail.

—Attorney V. H. Myers was down from Ashton today.

—Will and Frank Harte were here from Ashton today.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Stover of Ashton were in Dixon today.

—City Clerk M. E. Wilger and Auctioneer Milton Ward were here from Sterling.

—Mrs. Walter Preston and two children have returned from Morrison where they spent two weeks visiting friends and relatives.

—Hugh T. Beaver, 13-year-old son of Prof. A. H. Beaver of Chicago, formerly of Dixon, is visiting at the residences of Miss J. Spaulding and R. L. Johnson during the Assembly.

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Men's \$10.00 worsted and cassimere suits.....\$6.75

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Men's \$13.50 and \$15 cassimere and worsted suits.....\$10.50

Men's Summer Pants

Men's \$3.00 and \$3.50 outing pants.....\$2.50
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WHERE PUBLIC IS CARELESS.

The public ought to use more care about the electric cars. Children run out and stand on the track until the car is near them and then jump aside. Thursday morning a young lad old enough to know better stood on the tracks while a car was approaching him down the grade on College avenue. The lad would not move and the motorman was compelled to almost stop his car. A representative of THE EVENING TELEGRAPH was aboard and witnessed the occurrence.

Wednesday afternoon an old gentleman of this city who was driving with some lady friends in a surrey on the North Side had a very narrow escape from being struck by a city car. The old man was careless. He drove right upon the track with the car in sight coming toward him. It was the old story, "I thought I could make it ahead of the car." The motorman saw at once what would happen and instantly shut off the current. It was done just in time for when the car stopped it was against the wheels of the surrey. Had anything gone wrong with the power or motor, nothing could have prevented the surrey from being crushed, and possibly some of the occupants killed or maimed for life. People should use judgment.

The same caution should be used in regard to automobiles. Children are in the habit of running ahead of the machine and try to act "smart." This should be stopped. Of course the driver of the automobile and the motorman should use the utmost care, but in nine cases out of ten the general public are the more careless.

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BAD EMIGRANTS.

Emigrants from China are not now the only menace to our American civilization. The Washington bureau of immigration gives out the statement that there came from southeastern Europe during the past year over a million of illiterate emigrants, the most dangerous class of people, and it would appear that Congress must put up new bars on such steerage passengers to this country. It would appear, according to satisfactory statistics, that the steamship companies have begun to compete for steerage business, they have opened up new ports of departure from southeastern Europe, and there is every reason to believe certain European countries are deliberately dumping their worst classes upon the United States, with the aim in view of reducing their proportion of possible socialist agitators and disturbers.

It has been but a comparatively short while since the Hungarian government made a suspicious contract with the Cunard Steamship company. As a result of this a new steamship line was established by the Cunard people with its point of departure at Flume and Trieste. The Hungarian government agreed to furnish the steamship company with a certain number of emigrants, and the line was established direct for the purpose of giving the Hungarians the benefit of this traffic, which previously had gone northward across Germany.

Thus we may account for the marvelous increase in this ignorant class of emigrants. European governments are, undoubtedly, dumping their anarchists and worst class of people upon the United States at a most fearful rate.

This "home of the oppressed from all lands" racket is a nice Fourth of July sentiment, but if this thing keeps on Uncle Sam's home will become unpleasant for the old man.

EASTERN STAR MEETS

Work on Two Candidates at the Session Tonight.

Dorothy Chapter, Order Eastern Star, will meet in regular session on Friday evening, Aug. 4th at 8 p. m., at the Masonic Temple, corner First street and Peoria avenue, to which all members of the order who may be visiting in town or attending the Assembly are extended a cordial invitation to attend.

There will be work on two candidates, after which light refreshments will be served.

It is expected that a number from Amboy will drive over, a chapter being instituted at that place quite recently.

—Miss Stella Young of Oregon was a Dixon visitor Thursday.

KEEP THE BLUE FIELD UP

A Little Lesson on the Flag Taught at the Assembly.

The educational effects of the Rock River Assembly sometimes works two ways. An instance of this was noticed yesterday by a certain Dixon gentleman. Probably some have noticed how the bunting is decorated on the outside walls of the rooms which are on the side of the tabernacle stage. Instead of the blue field being at the top, the national colors are draped so that the stars in the blue field are at the bottom. In the language of the flag this means that either the army or navy is in distress. And such a draping of the national colors brought down some severe criticism yesterday on the part of a few members of the G. A. R. All bunting which has the national colors should be hung so that the red is at the bottom, then the white and finally the field of blue at the top. It seems that when the delegation from Polo arrived yesterday on the assembly grounds they were in a quandary as to how the colors should be draped. A there was quite a discussion among the members of the Woman's Relief Corps whether the blue field should be at the top of the bunting or whether it should be at the bottom. Accordingly, when they saw the colors draped in the tabernacle with the stars down, they at once draped their colors the same way. If they had not been corrected by a Dixon veteran they would probably have gone home with colors indicating that the army and navy were in distress.

Such an error would probably not be so liable to happen in the state of Indiana for in that commonwealth the flag language is taught in the public schools. The children are taught to uncover before the flag, and to stand when the national hymn is sung. Questions concerning flag etiquette are inserted in the examinations.

BIG GAME TOMORROW

Morrison Will Play Dixon Browns at Athletic Park Saturday Afternoon.

WHIPPLE-PATRICK THE BATTERY

Davy Jones Will Join Nationals Next Spring.

Saturday afternoon the Dixon Browns will play the Morrison aggregation at Athletic park; the game is posted for 3 o'clock. This game will be followed by one on Sunday afternoon at Central park between the same teams. Tomorrow the battery for the Browns will be Whipple and Patrick and on Sunday Woodyatt and Patrick. The Morrison battery at Athletic park will be Pisel and Abbott, and at Central park Reese and Abbott. Kennedy's boys are in good trim and will put up a tight-to-the-finish game tomorrow afternoon, as they will have to if they hope to win from their fast opponents. Manager Kennedy states that the admission tomorrow afternoon will be the same as at Central park. Ladies will be admitted free to the grounds, but they will be charged a small admission to the reserved seats.

DIXON TWIRLER PROMOTED.

Many people in Dixon will remember the Davy Jones who played on Dixon College team several years ago. Lately he has been the star outfielder of the Minneapolis club of the American association, now he will be sold or traded to the Washington club this fall and will join the Nationals next spring. Davy had his first engagement with Decatur, Ill., in the Three-Eye League, and was discovered with Claude Elliott. He was signed for the Boston American League club and later joined Chicago. He also played St. Louis. Last spring he was released by Chicago.

NO NIGHT OPERATOR

Consequently North Dixon Station Is Not Open Nights.

Some Polo people who were here attending the Assembly complained because the North Dixon station of the Illinois Central was not open at night. It is not supposed to be open nights as there is no night operator there. Travelers will always find the regular Dixon station of the Central open 24 hours of the day and when they want to take a night train they should go to the regular station where they will find accommodations of the best. The suburban station in North Dixon is an added accommodation for day travelers, which deserves appreciation instead of criticism.

Plan for Crippled Children.

A meeting will be held at the Presbyterian church tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 to make arrangements for entertaining the crippled children from Chicago at Assembly park. It is requested that representatives of each of the churches be present.

RECORD BREAKING RACE

The Broncho Lowers Time Made at Chicago Track by Quarter of a Second.

PACES ONE HEAT IN 2.06 1-2

Wins Special Event Against Eleanor B. at Streator.

Another record breaking race was paced by The Broncho yesterday at the Streator meet. The little Dixon mare went the first heat of the race on a heavy track in 2:06 1/2. This time reduces her record at the Chicago track by a quarter of a second. The other two heats were taken by Bob Adam's little mare in 2:07 1/2; 2:07 1/2; beating Eleanor B. The latter pacer was the one that took first money in a free-for-all at Ottawa in which The Broncho got second place. The race between The Broncho and Eleanor B. was arranged for lowering the circuit record of 2:08 1/2; the purse for this feat being \$300, which was very easily taken by the record breaking time of The Broncho. The Dixon mare by her work at Streator holds the world's pacing record for three beats over a half-mile track. In addition she reduced the state pacing record of 2:06 1/2, which she made herself at the Chicago track a few weeks ago. The special race was started by Judge Newton, the official starter of the grand circuit, and more than 700 people witnessed Trainer Charles Dean drive the wonderful little mare belonging to Bob Adams; summaries:

Special race, purse \$300:
The Broncho (Dean) 1 1 1
Eleanor B. (Johnson) 2 2 2
Time—2:06 1/2; 2:07 1/2; 2:07 1/2.

MRS. MARSHALL BROWN DEAD

Loved Woman Passed Away Thursday Afternoon at Hospital.

The public was not entirely unprepared for the sad announcement of the death at 5 o'clock Thursday evening of Mrs. Inez I. Brown, wife of Marshall Brown, for she had been very low with a chronic ailment for some time and underwent an operation that morning at the Dixon hospital with the hope of relieving her condition.

She was the friend of all who knew her and many homes are saddened by the passing of this noble life. As a wife, mother and friend her life was ideal and her memory will ever be honored by those who knew her. Mrs. Brown was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George M. Deland and was born in Dixon October 30, 1856. On December 25, 1877, she was married to Marshall Brown and besides her husband she leaves three children: Charles M. and George M. of Polo and Frank L. of Dixon; three girls died in childhood. She also leaves a brother George A. Deland, as well as her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George M. Deland.

The funeral services will be held at the late home on the E. C. Smith farm at 10 o'clock Saturday morning.

DIED IN GERMANY.

F. A. Minssen of Palmyra has received word of the death of his sister, Katherina Elizabeth, wife of William Heintzen, at Oldenberg, Germany. Her death occurred July 9th from paralysis and she was 66 years of age.

Rain Did Not Dampen Party.

Although the saying of "water, water everywhere," etc., was literally true for a boat ride last night, yet the boating party planned by Miss Reynolds in honor of her friends Miss Peabody of Evanston was carried out much to the pleasure of her guests. The party numbered about thirty five people; the first part of the evening was spent in a boat ride to Arion park. There to the accompaniment of music by the Dixon Mandolin club the guests enjoyed a short dance program, after which refreshments were served. The chaperones were Mr. and Mrs. H. G. and George Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Fuller and Miss Abbie Morris. The guests from out of town were Miss Corns of Racine, Wis., Miss Pettibone and Miss Mary Dement of Chicago, and Miss Peabody of Evanston.

He Wanted to Know.

Scotchmen are fond of an argument, and delight to find flaws in an opponent's logic. Two blacksmiths were once conversing as to which was the first trade in the world. One insisted that it must have been gardening, and quoted from Genesis: "Adam was put into the garden of Eden to dress it and keep it." "Aye, John," retorted the other, "who had stood up for his own trade, 'but who made the spades?'"

Must Have Been Ice.

Mamma—No, dear, the Atlantic ocean never freezes over. Elsie—Oh, but it must. I heard papa telling Mr. Gerty that when he was coming across from Europe the last time he had his skates on all the time.

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Nice line of Women's Strap Slippers formerly sold at \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50 to close at \$1.25. Just the thing for warm weather wear.

Compare these goods and values with anything and everything offered elsewhere and we feel sure the decision will be in our favor. First comers are best suited.

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DEMENT-TOWN DOINGS

Miss Mary Gleason will go to Chicago Saturday to visit friends.

Mrs. Grady and two children are here from Chicago visiting friends.

T. R. Burton of Chicago was here on business with F. W. Tillson Thursday.

Who was the naughty person that sent Sky the postal? Don't get the poor boy so excited.

Carl Northrup has an offer of \$2,000 a month—when Ed. starts his candy store on State street.

Alderman Ferris, wife and mother of Sterling will be guests in Dement-town Saturday and Sunday.

The Eagles will fly around tonight. Two "Eaglets" will be given the rudiments of flying. Flop your wings.

No man ever helped himself by knocking other people down. Don't roast. Be jolly. Push your friend with you.

Camp "Skyrocket" will open next week. The principal promoters this year are Charles O'Malley and John McMahan.

Dement-town went to see Stephan play last Thursday. What was the matter Harry? Why did you disappoint them.

Ben and Henry, the old sports, were calling on friends on the Avenue this morning. There's two boys that are all right. Same old Henry. Same old Ben.

Patrick McGuire has gone back to Chicago. Mr. McGuire has improved very much since his recent illness. This will be good news for his many friends.

Another reporter in Dement-town. Shake, old man. Keep a stiff upper lip and you'll win. Look out for 'em, some of 'em may want to be too friendly. Be dignified and you'll make a hit.

Steve: "Mike I was held up the other night."

Mike: "Didn't get much. Your a blank. No use to hold you up."

Steve: "I'll bet you a dollar I have more money right now than you have."

Mike: "I'll take that bet. Put up the money."

Mike put up the money and Steve, Oh, where was he? Poor Steve pulled from his pockets way bills, match boxes, toothpicks, time tables, etc., but no money.

Steve did have a quarter, but Mike won the bet, that is he would have won had Steve put up the money.

Steve got the laugh and the manager of the Fletcher Co. laughed as hard as the rest. Steve's train pulled up, the big fellow jumped aboard and as he turned the corner he was still putting back in his pockets the way-bills and time tables.

Ice Cream.

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Half Gallons and
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The complete Hyomei outfit costs but \$1, extra bottles 50 cents. It is the only treatment for fever sold by Rowland Bros. under a guarantee to refund the money if it does not give satisfaction.

YOUTH BROKE HIS LEG

Merton Ransom Fell Through Barn Floor at Nelson Today.

Merton Ransom, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Ransom, who live east of Nelson on the Dixon road, broke his leg close to the hip about 11 o'clock this forenoon by falling from the upper to the lower floor of the barn on the John Dampken place in Nelson. The youth is about 15 years of age. A physician from Dixon attended to his injuries.

Grape Juice—Pure and Unfermented—served at our fountain. Walgreen-Davis Co.

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me won't you give me a quarter?" And he got it, and it was not a matter of chance but of law. Men do not consider what difference of potential they are building up in their lives until the flash strikes, and then the realization comes.

The speaker's second topic, love, was next considered. A young lady was once asked, "what is love?" She answered "Oh love is, oh, it is a sort of an inward expression of outward all overishness".

Think of the poor, the needy, the distressed in our land today. These people are suffering, not by chance but for the fault of some one. themselves or another, who has put them under the reign of unfriendly law.

The strength of Prof. Long seems to lie very largely in his mighty power of dramatic illustration.

THE BEST IN LITERATURE

At 4:30 p. m. Attorney A. C. Bardwell of this city entertained an attentive audience at Chautauqua hall, his address being entitled "The Best Side of Literature." This was a scholarly paper, full of good things. He showed what literature is not, and clearly demonstrated that a very large part of what some mistake for literature has no reasonable excuse for existence.

A man stops short of honesty who is not honest with himself. Our reading bears directly upon our habits of thought, and this again upon the acts of our lives. No other success equals that of the man or woman who develops a well-rounded character. Some of the closing sentences were as follows:

Then why ostracise the novel as a type or class? For no valid reason. Nor should a dry, unflavored pabulum of science, history, philosophy and religion be forced down on the mental guilts of anybody, child or grown-up, as a substitute. Such a high-handed outrage would deserve the serious attention of the society for the prevention of cruelty to animals.

Whether it be in story, verse or prose, or whether it be in essay, address, biography, history or drama, let us have all the wholesome cheer, all the sunshine, all the joy of abundant life. The backsets we experience are many and disappointments flock around us at every sunset, like birds to their perch, still the morrow smiles on us and bids us cheer as if nothing had befallen us. Why should we not do the same, not forgetting, but still rejoicing.

The books we read have much to do in shaping us to this point of true living. We may skim over superficial books as a pastime, innocently enough, or gallop over the pages of a work of true literature, which has survived or will survive centuries, with no harm occurring, except the loss of the richness which the mere plot-hunter has missed but the book which does us most good is the one we reluctantly close, not because of the succession of harrowing situations which we have breathlessly, if not tearfully followed chapter by chapter, but because of the undefined feeling left with us that it has touched a spot, soothed an unrest, or satisfied a longing somewhere within us.

A book worth reading has engaged the thought of the author in its conception and his labor in its construction for a number of years and nearly every line has been rewritten many times in order that it may best express the shade of thought intended by the writer—such is the laborious, painstaking process by which all great stories or other memorable works have been produced. But we rush through it as if it were a mere penny-a-liner dashed off for the morning press and then solemnly pass judgment.

Only the book which we part with reluctantly and which we hope to read again, returns value received for the effort, and it is only within the lids of such a book that the best side of literature can be found.

THURSDAY EVENING.

At 7:30 Thursday evening Manager Blanche introduced the Dixie Jubilee Singers who sang for about twenty minutes previous to the beginning of the lecture of the evening.

These singers are to be with us several days and will entertain delightfully whenever they appear.

They made an excellent impression last evening upon the large audience assembled.

After the usual announcements by Dr. Blanche, Mrs. Marie Rosenberg Fay was announced and sang a beautiful solo, and the audience gave no rest until she appeared again. This time she sang by request a delightful German song greatly to the pleasure of all, and particularly to Dr. Blanche and others familiar with the language of the song.

GHOSTS AND WITCHES.

Dr. Eaton being introduced gave an amusing preface to his lecture on "Ghosts, Goblins, and Witches".

There are phenomenal endowments but they have no magic in them. There are such things as presentiments. Many mysterious things can



Madam Mountford of Palestine,
Who will Lecture at the Assembly Saturday and Sunday Afternoons.

be explained by the laws of nature if we understand them

Whenever these mysterious things occur and there is no fraud practised there is or may be a rational explanation. Some or all these are due to what is called psychic force.

The speaker exhibited a planchette and explained certain phenomenal produced by it. He also told of some grievous mistakes made by planchette in a test.

At 8:30 a heavy rainstorm with thunder and lightning began and made it difficult for Dr. Eaton to be heard beyond a radius of about forty feet. Rain fell in torrents until 9:10 after which the Doctor's voice could again be heard throughout the building. He said: "If a man steps on a carpet tack it will take him one eighth of a second to find it out. A dispatch goes to the brain from the heel and says, 'We're on a tack down here'". The answer goes back in another eighth of a second and says, "Get Off". If he sits down on a tack the time is shorter.

Many a man is said to die of heart-failure, when in fact his death is due to a dream.

The mind has its influence upon nervous condition, but the mind can't cure a broken bone or any organic disease.

You can see ghosts if you see them by the subjective mind. The eyes of flesh will then see them somewhere. You cannot always tell whether your impressions are subjective or objective, whether within or without.

The doctor discussed briefly the subject of clairvoyance, and explained the mystery of this process. The clairvoyant knows what you know but beyond this their assertions are all guess work. This is because a clairvoyant is a mind reader.

Mind reading, which is done at long distances is called telepathy. Any abnormal state especially of the nervous system, is conducive to telepathy or thought transference. Several instances of this phenomena were cited.

Dr. Eaton's lecture was very interesting especially to those who have made a study of the subjective mind and its numerous phenomena. All who desire to pursue this study further would do well to read Dr. Thomson's Hudson's famous book, "The Laws of Psychic Phenomena."

Tomorrow will be another big day at the Assembly. Dr. Coover's Normal Bible school is always interesting and instructive.

From all reports of those who have heard her, the lecture at 2:30 tomorrow by Madam Von Finkelstein Mountford will be one of the great features of the Assembly. She will be assisted by seventeen people in her lecture, "Impersonation of Life in the Holy Land." She is very highly commended by the press wherever she has been, and all who can possibly do so, should hear her both tomorrow and Sunday. The growth of Mormonism and its influence will be discussed at the Round Table conference at 4:30 by Harry Edwards.

ASSEMBLY NOLES.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Powers of Sterling, with guests, Miss Nellie Miller and Miss Margaret Carroll both of Chicago, occupy a tent on the west side of First street. These names were unintentionally omitted from the list published a few days ago.

Miss Martha Burns, Miss Mabel Burns, Mrs. Maude Shepard of Fenton, Ill., and Miss Ella Galvin of Garden Plain, Ill., are attending the Assembly.

J. H. Grant, representative of the National Daily Review of Chicago, is a guest at the Assembly hotel. The Assembly reporter is a subscriber to this paper and considers it the best paper that he ever read. There is every day one high class article of great value.

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been married. She states that she got this divorce about a year and a half ago, and that they married a year ago last 4th of July.

WOMAN IS PRETTY.

Mrs. Darlington is a small, pretty and attractive looking young woman and dresses well.

Darlington is a printer and is a fine looking gentleman. Redington is an innocent looking young man and since his residence in Dixon has been a steady worker and attending strictly to his business.

Assistant State's Attorney Harry Edwards is prosecuting this case.

Mr. Darlington will remain in Dixon for the present. Redington and Mrs. Darlington will remain in Dixon until after the hearing next Tuesday.

Miss Lavina Hammer, Mrs. Chas. Houch and Mrs. Ira Willsey of Morrison were on the Assembly grounds Thursday.

Rev. John A. Bright, children's evangelist, of Topeka, Kas., who is here attending the Assembly, will go to Davenport to preach next Sunday morning and evening in the Lutheran church for Dr. Blanche.

George Logan and wife of Amboy were Assembly visitors Wednesday.

John Myers of Polo attended the Assembly Wednesday.

Miss Ina Lapham and Florence Green of Morrison have joined the campers at the Green cottage.

Some of the later names on the Assembly Hotel register are:

Mrs. A. H. Healey, Milledgeville; Mrs. A. E. Beebe, Forrester; W. T. Smith, Steward; Clarence Smith, Steward; Harold Smith, Steward; Mrs. E. Gilbert, Ashton; H. T. Healey, Milledgeville; Mrs. W. F. Colson and daughter, Amboy; Alice Felker, Amboy; Mrs. F. N. Vaughan, Amboy; A. W. Wright, Polo; James H. Moore, Polo; James L. Reed, Polo; Adah B. Turner, Elroy, Ill.; C. E. Sheldon, Sterling; E. R. Buck, Franklin Grove; D. L. Reiff, Franklin Grove; G. S. Dunton, Compton; R. H. Nelson, Amboy; S. A. Long, Dayton, Ohio; Hattie Dietz, Polo; J. F. Shaw and wife, Rock Falls; A. E. Seise, Lena; Emma Wetzel, Ashton; Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Berry, Amboy; Wm. Beers, Van Orin.

All members of the Eastern Star visiting at the Assembly are invited to attend the session of Dorothy chapter at Masonic hall this evening.

EIGHT PRISONERS ESCAPE

Wholesale Jail Delivery at Sioux City This Morning.

Special to THE TELEGRAPH: Sioux City, Iowa, Aug. 4.—A wholesale jail delivery occurred here this morning when eight prisoners escaped from the county jail.

—Attorney V. H. Myers was down from Ashton today.

—Will and Frank Harte were here from Ashton today.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Stover of Ashton were in Dixon today.

—City Clerk M. E. Wilger and Auctioneer Milton Ward were here from Sterling.

—Mrs. Walter Preston and two children have returned from Morrison where they spent two weeks visiting friends and relatives.

—Engel T. Beaver, 13-year-old son of Prof. A. H. Beaver of Chicago, formerly of Dixon, is visiting at the residences of Miss J. Spaulding and R. L. Johnson during the Assembly.

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Do not allow her to be subjected to the terrible heat from an ordinary cooking stove, or the danger from a gasoline stove. A Gas Range does the cooking quicker, cheaper, cleaner, and safer than it can be done in any other way. The price of Gas stoves is exceptionally low now, and the Gas Company will sell you one almost on your own terms. Gas is the best fuel for summer, because the heat is all under the pan and not distributed about the kitchen. Strike a match and there is instantly all the heat you want just where you want it. Turn a valve and the heat stops.

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100 Ladies' Trimmed Hats.....\$1.49
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The Pacific Northwest.

A complete and interesting presentation of the scenic beauty and the rich natural resources and rapid growth of the Pacific Northwest are set forth in a beautifully illustrated booklet recently issued by the Chicago & North-Western Ry., which will be sent to any address on receipt of 4 cents in stamps.

The Lewis and Clark Exposition with the very low excursion rates and personally conducted tours in connection therewith over the North-Western Line from Chicago and the east has created an interest in this subject not before equaled. For full particulars address W. B. Kniskern, P. T. M., 215 Jackson Boulevard, Chicago.

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The salve that heals without a scar is DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. No remedy effects such speedy relief. It draws out inflammation, soothes, cools and heals all cuts, burns and bruises. A sure cure for Piles and skin diseases. Beware of counterfeits, they are dangerous. Sold by Rowland Bros.

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C. Unger 211 Maple St., Champaign, Ill., writes: "I was troubled with a hacking cough for a year and I thought bad consumption. I tried a great many remedies and was under the care of physicians for several months. I used one bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar. It cured me and I have not been troubled since." Rowland Bros.

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LAMONT'S ENTERPRISE

The Achievements of a Former
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DISPLAYED TACT AS A POLITICIAN

While President Cleveland's Private Secretary He Lifted the Office Almost to the Dignity of a Cabinet Position—Changes He Made at the White House—His Services as Secretary of War.

The late Dan Lamont, Grover Cleveland's private secretary, is better remembered in Washington than Daniel Scott Lamont, the secretary of war, says the Washington correspondent of the New York Post. Before Lamont's day the president's private secretary was concerned solely with routine business, the disposition of mail, replying to unimportant correspondence and the making of appointments for his chief. Mr. Lamont, during his tenure of the office, to some extent made it an added cabinet position. His personal influence with Mr. Cleveland was on a par with that of any one of the seven counselors provided by law.

Mr. Lamont was a perfect complement for his chief. He had tactfulness, unflinching politeness, the widest acquaintance with public men of any man of his day, an alert, acquisitive mind, a personal poise that could not be disturbed, and a temper that was never ruffled. The personal impression that Cleveland made on the country during his first four years in the White House was largely due to Mr. Lamont's suavity and diplomacy. He mirrored his chief to the public as he would have him appear; not wholly as he was. The angles were blunted and the rough sides made smooth. No one recognized more than Mr. Cleveland how much of his popularity was due to his efficient private secretary.

Mr. Lamont's newspaper training stood him in excellent service. He knew the limitations of the correspondent's work, the meaning and value of news, the difficulties with which it was gathered, the importance of accuracy and the vital necessity of writing accounts of events while they were fresh. He was democratic and helpful, he knew men and affairs and how much to tell of all the "inside" events that came under his eye or of which he had, because of his position, first hand knowledge. He made the White House a source of accurate, fresh, valuable information such as it had never been before, and he was in the best sense of the word what Mr. Cleveland never became—a "politician."

Commentators on public affairs in Washington who had known private secretaries under other presidents were so amazed and delighted at the changes Mr. Lamont made at the White House and so appreciative of the public value of his services that some of them to this day are inclined to call him "the brains of the first Cleveland administration." This, of course, is an exaggerated estimate, but it will serve to show how striking an impression the new private secretary made on men who were not accustomed to losing their tongues in praise of public officers unless tribute was eminently well deserved. Here is a description of him, written "off the griddle," so to speak, in the days when he was new to the capital:

His private secretary is Daniel S. Lamont. Lamont is a wonder. He is a small blond young man of thirty-six, with sandy hair and mustache. He has a modest personal appearance, dresses very neatly, and there is no man in New York state, not excepting Samuel J. Tilden, who has a larger acquaintance with prominent Democrats. He is honest, knows a man at a glance, and the moment any one comes into Cleveland's office he can tell what his business is. He signifies to his chief by a nod of his head what he thinks of the request about to be made. He never loses his head, has been with politicians all his life and yet has the most exemplary habits. He never smokes and never swears. He is of slight stature and does not at first command the attention to which his abilities are entitled.

A sketch of Mr. Lamont, written in 1884, bears the caption "The Pleasant History of a Pink of Politeness." In 1882, when Mr. Lamont was a nominee for the clerk of the New York senate, he had already developed a modesty, a merit and an organizing and working capacity which had won for him the respect, the regard and the confidence of all who had been brought into relations with him. He had made his mark so deeply at Albany that when Mr. Cleveland became president it was taken for granted that his private secretary would accompany him to Washington. One who knew him in the Albany days contributes this glimpse of the methods that made Mr. Lamont so widely known after he reached Washington:

"In the executive chamber he always got up to receive visitors, and his universal knowledge of public men at Washington again held good. He saw every one coming in at the distant door and spoke their name to the governor, who was quick to hear. So when Smith of Wayback came in and said, 'You don't remember me, governor, I am afraid,' the governor promptly responded: 'Oh, yes, I do, Mr. Smith. How are the folks in Wayback?'"

"When the governor wrote his famous personal comfort letter about Grady he handed the copy to Lamont and said, 'Dan, I'll wager you a dollar you would not write a letter like that?'"

"Dan read it and fired up: 'I certainly wouldn't, governor. It is not called for. It will do no good, and it will put you in a bad light. It is in-

fluencing elections, and that is not right."

"The governor laughed. 'You almost persuade me to be a— What is the expression?' he said."

"I wish it was politician," replied Dan."

"But as we all know, the governor sent the letter."

Mr. Lamont took so prominent a part in the presidential campaign preceding Mr. Cleveland's election that a New York city newspaper felt constrained to ask in its editorial columns, "If Cleveland is elected will he or Colonel Lamont be president?" Colonel Lamont used to tell how he came to Washington with Mr. Cleveland. On the morning after election he casually remarked to the governor that, judging from the returns then in, he seemed to be elected. "Well," said Mr. Cleveland, "if I am elected, you are elected. I must have you with me if I go to Washington." That was all that was said about the matter.

One peculiarity that his intimates often commented upon while he was in Washington, and which has recurred to their minds vividly because of the manner of his death, was his keen distaste for being left alone. He always contrived that some one should be in the office with him at every minute of the day. No one ever saw him take a walk of even two or three blocks unaccompanied. If, when it came time for him to leave his office, no one else was ready to go he would wait for one of the clerks. After he became secretary of war and while his family was out of town he frequently dropped in at the White House in the late afternoon and got one of the young executive clerks, whose company he enjoyed, to go to dinner with him at a hotel. He never said why he always showed such scrupulous care to avoid being left alone.

One of the first things Mr. Lamont did as secretary of war was to weed out a lot of worthless clerks in his department. Six were discharged and fifty reduced in grade and pay in one day. Another incident that army officers are fond of recalling occurred in 1895:

Senator Harris of Tennessee was in Secretary Lamont's office when Paymaster General Stanton entered and began his explanation of the financial condition of the service, referring particularly to the lack of funds for the month of June. Secretary Lamont asked what amount would be necessary to pay off all the June salaries.

"Oh, something like \$50,000," replied General Stanton.

"If you could borrow that amount," said the secretary, "would it be sufficient?"

"You get me the money, Mr. Secretary, and I'll make the payment, all right," said the paymaster.

"Well, I'm thinking about advancing it myself," replied Mr. Lamont.

There was a gasp of astonishment from General Stanton and Senator Harris.

"I mean it," continued the secretary. "The army ought to be paid, and the sooner they get it the better."

"I can only say, Mr. Secretary," said General Stanton, "that if you find me the money I shall make arrangements to pay off the officers and men who did not receive their salaries for the month of June."

They used to call Mr. Lamont "the silent secretary" in the last years of his service at Washington. He was thoroughly methodical in his habit and did not waste a minute.

Among the reforms and improvements that marked Mr. Lamont's administration of the war department were the abandonment of the small outlying military posts and the concentration of the army at important railroad centers, on the seaboard and on the northern and southern frontiers, and the reduction of the term of enlistment from five to three years. He secured the repeal of the statute making ten years the maximum period of service of enlisted men. He was instrumental in securing the adoption of the new magazine rifle and carbine of reduced caliber for the army and was an earnest and consistent advocate of a general improvement of the seacoast defenses under approved projects, including the development of disappearing gun carriages. He brought about a reduction in the number of military posts from about ninety-five to seventy-five, resulting in the concentration of troops in large commands, and by so doing improving the morals, discipline and education of the army.

Compulsory M. P.'s.

The Norwegian parliament consists of 114 members, many of whom sit in the house under protest, says the Philadelphia Public Ledger. All Norwegians over twenty-five years of age who satisfy certain conditions of residence, etc., meet in the local parish church once in three years and choose one man out of every 100 present to select the members of parliament for the country. The men so selected are bound to serve, whether they like the honor or not. Immediately parliament meets one-fourth of the members are chosen to form the upper house, the remaining three-fourths constituting the lower house.

Posted.
Mistress (trying on one of her new gowns)—Norah, how does this dress fit? Norah (without looking up)—Not very well, ma'am. I found it a little tight under the armpits. — London Answers.

A Temperance Move.
By way of combating the tendency to take strong drink, the royal railway directors of Cassel, Germany, have decided to manufacture bottled lemonade and mineral water and sell it to the employees only, at about a cent a bottle, the bottle to be returned.

A WOMAN'S BACK.

The Aches and Pains Will Disappear If the Advice of This Dixon Citizen Is Followed.

A woman's back has many aches and pains.

Most times 'tis the kidneys' fault. Backache is really kidney ache. That's why Doan's Kidney Pills cure it.

Many Dixon women know this. Read what one has to say about it.

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There is no way to maintain the health and strength of mind and body except by nourishment. There is no way to nourish except through the stomach. The stomach must be kept healthy, pure and sweet or the strength will let down and disease will set up. No appetite, loss of strength, nervousness, headache, constipation, bad breath, sour risings, rifting, indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach troubles that are curable and are quickly cured by the use of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat and strengthens the whole digestive apparatus. Rowland Bros.

Foley's Kidney Cure is a medicine free from poisons and will cure any case of kidney disease that is not beyond the reach of medicine. Rowland Bros.

The original is always the best—imitations are cheap. Bee's Laxative Honey and Tar is the original Laxative Cough Syrup. It is different from all others—it is better than all others, because it cures it coughs and cold and leaves the system stronger than before. The letter B in red is on every package. Rowland Bros.

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Will cure Bright's Disease
Will cure Diabetes
Will cure Stone in the Bladder.
Will cure Kidney and Bladder Diseases
—Rowland Bros.

The most wonderful cure for piles is Manzan, put up in collapsible tubes with nozzle attached. It reaches the spot, stops pain instantly, and cures all kinds of blind, bleeding, itching or protruding piles. Rowland Bros.

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Pointiac Chautauqua Assembly, Pontiac, Ill., July 22nd-August 6th, 1905.

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"Help yourselves, boys."

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KICKAPOO WORM KILLER

and perfect health will be restored at once. It is a harmless, pleasant tablet—cleanses and sweetens the entire system. Mrs. M. J. Wright, Chairman, Executive Committee, "Arts and Crafts," 440 Cleveland Ave., Chicago, writes:

"Six months ago my daughter Helen was suffering from worms. She was thin, pale, languid, sitting all the time yet poor in flesh, and so restless at night that she kept me awake most of the time. I gave her Kickapoo Worm Killer at the suggestion of my druggist. Within ten days a marked change had taken place, and in a couple of weeks more she was entirely cured and has not been troubled since."

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Will cure any case of Kidney or Bladder disease that is not beyond the reach of medicine.

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R. Spiegel, 1204 N. Virginia St., Evansville, Ind., writes: "For over four years I was troubled with a kidney and bladder affection. I lost flesh and was unable to work. Three physicians failed to help me and I was given up to die. Foley's Kidney Cure was recommended and the first bottle gave me great relief and after taking the second bottle I was entirely cured."

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Many persons in this community are suffering from kidney complaint who could avoid fatal results by using Foley's Kidney Cure. Rowland Bros.

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After a hearty meal a dose of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will prevent an attack of indigestion. Kodol is a thorough digestant and a sure-acted cure for indigestion, Gas on the Stomach, Weak Heart, Sour Rising, Bad Breath and all Stomach Troubles. Sold by Rowland Bros.

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For sunburn, letter and skin and scalp diseases, DeWitt's Hazel Salve has no equal. It is a certain cure for blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles. It will draw the fire out of a burn and heal without leaving a scar. Boils, old sores, carbuncles, etc., are quickly cured by the use of the genuine DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Accept no substitute as they are often dangerous and uncertain. Sold by Rowland Bros.

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Unless He Produces \$55,000 in Cash He Says He Lost at Gambling.

JACKSONVILLE CAUSE CELEBRE

Property Seems Hard to Find—Novel Contest for Farmers' Boys and Girls.

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 4.—Judge Humphrey, in the United States district court, entered an order in bankruptcy in the case of Jacob Cohen, a junk dealer of Jacksonville, Ill., who was adjudged bankrupt on March 31 on petition of creditors of the Jacksonville National bank. The order was to the effect that "Cohen had deposited in banks in Chicago and at Terre Haute, Ind., sums aggregating \$55,558, and had drawn out that sum afterwards and could not satisfactorily account for its disposal." The court orders Cohen to turn over that amount to G. J. George, trustee in bankruptcy in the case, by 10 o'clock next Tuesday morning, and in default to stand committed to jail for contempt.

Told a Story of Gambling.

In the meantime the court orders Cohen to be placed in charge of a United States marshal, but not to be imprisoned. Cohen is in Chicago with special bailiffs. Cohen at the time he was adjudged bankrupt scheduled liabilities of \$208,327 and assets of \$103,060, but did not schedule any of the amount he had collected as assets, testifying afterwards that he had lost the entire sum in gambling houses in Chicago and at Terre Haute, Ind.

Couldn't Prove This Assertion.

Before bankruptcy proceedings began Cohen turned over all his real estate in Jacksonville, aggregating \$50,000, to his wife, his son Benjamin and his daughter, Mrs. Laskowski, of LaSalle, Ill., asserting that they had advanced money to him, though there was nothing on his books or papers to substantiate this assertion.

Republicans Flock to Springfield.

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 4.—Republicans are here from all parts of the state to see Governor Deneen, the most prominent caller being Charles P. Hitch, campaign manager for Senator Cullom.

Boys and Mansfield to Retire?

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 4.—It is reported that W. H. Boys and G. H. Mansfield, assistant attorneys general, will retire Sept. 1. The report, while considered authentic, is not verified, for the reason that Attorney General Stead is away on his vacation.

Baptists Neutral on Rockefeller.

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 4.—At an exciting session the Illinois Baptist Convention refused to adopt resolutions disapproving the attack made on John D. Rockefeller by Governor LaFollette in a lecture before the assembly Sunday. The vote was almost unanimous.

CONTEST FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

One Is for the Best Ten Ears of Corn, the Other for the Best Made Bread.

Paris, Ill., Aug. 4.—A bread and corn contest for Edgar county boys and girls is announced to take place in connection with the annual farmers' institute, to be held here this winter. The corn contest is a novelty, in that the exhibitors are each to enter ten ears of corn, scoring the same in accordance with the system used by expert judges. A professional scorer will subsequently grade the corn and prizes will be awarded to the contestants whose markings most nearly correspond with his.

Unimportant.

A Princeton man tells of a conversation that took place between the coach of a football eleven and one of the players. An important game was soon to be played, and the coach was of course most anxious that every player should be in the best physical condition. But to his great disgust one of the men upon whom a great deal depended if the great game was to be won seemed to be in "bad form." Taking him aside, the coach had the following "heart to heart talk" with the recalcitrant:

"See here, you're not looking so good. Muscles flabby and wind bad—awfully bad. What's the matter? Been drinking anything?"

"Not a drop."

"Then you must be smoking."

"Haven't touched a pipe, cigar or cigarette since the training began."

"Studying?"

"Well, yes—a little."

Whereupon the coach gave vent to a snort of disgust. "See here, you've got to stop that! Do you want to lose the game?"—Harper's Weekly.

A Shorthand Blunder.

One day a lawyer dictated a special writ of fieri facias to his shorthand clerk and, being in a hurry, rushed off to court with the transcript as soon as it was made without reading it. When it was presented the dignified judge glanced through it, looked at a certain part of it steadily and became convulsed with laughter. He then handed the paper back to the lawyer, stating that he was sorry he couldn't grant his petition.

"I think, please the court, that this is according to rule," persisted the attorney.

"Well, this court is unable to do anything for you," replied the judge. "Your request is unreasonable. Just take your petition and read it."

The lawyer did so and found that it requested the court to grant "special red fieri facias to his petitioners."

Hoch Hires New Legal Talent.

Chicago, Aug. 4.—Johann Hoch has discharged Isadore Plotke as his attorney and has retained Frank D. Comerford and J. Julius Neiger, of the firm of Comerford & Neiger.

Sheriff Closes a Drug Store.

Bloomington, Ill., Aug. 4.—The drug store of D. L. Buckworth at Leroy has been closed by the sheriff. The liabilities are estimated at \$10,000, with assets considerably less.

DEATH OF GEN. CARNAHAN

Head of the Pythian Uniform Rank Dies at Indianapolis—Brief Sketch of His Life.

Indianapolis, Aug. 4.—General James R. Carnahan, major general of the Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias, died yesterday at his home here after an illness of two weeks. James R. Carnahan was born at Dayton, Ind., Nov. 18, 1841. Immediately before the civil war he was attending Washburn college, at Crawfordsville, and joined the late Gen. Lew Wallace's zouaves as a private. Later he joined the Eighty-sixth Indiana regiment, to which he remained attached throughout the war, serving the last year as a staff officer. After the war he studied law and practiced for years at Lafayette.

He joined the Knights of Pythias in 1874 at Lafayette, went through all the chairs and was elected grand chancellor of Indiana in 1880. He was regarded as the founder of the Uniform Rank and was elected its first major general in 1884. He was past department commander of the G. A. R. and a prominent candidate for national commander at one time.

President Sees Notables.

Oyster Bay, L. I., Aug. 4.—President Roosevelt received several notable men at Sagamore Hill. Among them were Sir Mortimer Durand, the British ambassador; W. W. Russell, United States minister to Venezuela, and W. J. Calhoun, recently designated as a special commissioner to Venezuela.

Held Robbery by Black Thugs.

Des Moines, Ia., Aug. 4.—Two negro robbers entered the office of Contractor S. T. Roberts, in the business district, shortly after 2 p. m. with the street outside full of pedestrians, and robbed him of \$415 in cash and more than \$500 in checks that he was making out to pay his men.

Sultan Has Changed His Mind.

Paris, Aug. 4.—Information from Fez reaching official quarters shows that the sultan of Morocco, who first proposed an international conference, now fears that discussion among the powers will result in the dismemberment of his empire. He wants the conference called off now.

Dastard Murders a Woman.

Donora, Pa., Aug. 4.—While standing in the door of her home Julia Kaloum was shot dead by Nimo Scyggar, a Slav. It is said the girl was Scyggar's sweetheart and had killed him. Scyggar fled after the shooting and has not yet been captured.

Reform of the Voting Lists.

Philadelphia, Aug. 4.—All city employees within the jurisdiction of Mayor Weaver are now under orders to at once make an examination of the voting lists in their respective divisions and report all names that are illegally on the lists as qualified voters.

THE MARKETS

Chicago Grain.

Following were the quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade today:

Wheat—Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Sept. ...	.84 1/2	.85	.84 1/2
Dec. ...	.86 1/2	.86	.86
Dec. ...	.89 1/2	.89	.88 1/2
Corn—			
Sept. ...	.54 1/2	.55 1/2	.55
Dec. ...	.48 1/2	.48	.48 1/2
May ...	.46	.46 1/2	.46 1/2
Oats—			
Sept. ...	.28	.28 1/2	.28 1/2
Dec. ...	.28 1/2	.29	.28 1/2
May ...	.30 1/2	.30 1/2	.30 1/2
Pork—			
Sept. ...	13.42 1/2	13.45	13.40
Oct. ...	13.32 1/2	13.32 1/2	13.30
Lard—			
Sept. ...	7.37 1/2	7.40	7.37 1/2
Oct. ...	7.45	7.50	7.47 1/2
Short Ribs—			
Sept. ...	8.10	8.10	8.10
Oct. ...	8.17 1/2	8.20	8.17 1/2

Chicago Live Stock.

Hogs—Estimated receipts for the day, 27,000. Sales ranged at \$5.25 to \$5.90 for pigs, \$5.70 to \$6.10 for light, \$5.30 to \$5.55 for rough packing, \$5.55 to \$6.05 for mixed, and \$5.60 to \$6.00 for heavy packing and shipping lots, with the bulk of the trading within the range of \$5.65 to \$5.95 for fair to good averages.

Cattle—Estimated receipts for the day, 7,000. Quotations ranged at \$5.35 to \$5.90 for choice to fancy steers, 2.40 to 4.80 fat cows and heifers, \$2.10 to 4.40 native bulls and stags, \$5.50 to 7.00 fat to choice veal calves, \$3.40 to \$5.60 heavy calves.

Sheep—Estimated receipts for the day, 16,000. Quotations ranged at \$4.70 to \$5.00 for choice to fancy fed wethers, \$4.90 to \$5.95 fat to fancy light yearlings, \$6.35 to 7.75 good to prime spring lambs, \$4.75 to \$5.85 poor to choice feeding lambs.

East Buffalo Live Stock.

Dunning & Stevens, Live Stock Commission Merchants, East Buffalo, N. Y., quote as follows: Cattle—Receipts, 12 cars; market, very dull. Hogs—Receipts, 15 cars; market, steady; medium and heavy, \$6.30 to \$6.85; yorkers, \$6.50; pigs, \$6.55 to \$6.60. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 8 cars; market, slow; best yearlings, \$5.50 to \$5.75; wethers, \$5.00 to \$5.25; ewes, \$4.00 to \$4.50; mixed sheep, \$4.50 to \$4.75; spring lambs, \$7.00 to 7.35. Calves—Market, steady; best, \$7.00 to 7.50.

END OF THE SOO FETE

Second Day Devoted to Oratory, with the Vice President as Principal Speaker.

SAYS NICE THINGS TO CANADA

Gives Notice to John Bull That Commercial Supremacy Is Passing to Uncle Sam.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Aug. 4.—The celebration of the fifth anniversary of the opening of Sault Ste. Marie ship canal and locks ended with addresses by a large number of speakers, prominent among whom was Vice President Fairbanks. Well-known officials of the Canadian government, and Senator Burrows and Governor Warner, of Michigan, and Representative Burton, of Ohio, were speakers also. The speeches were delivered from a stand in the government park, which was tastefully decorated. Vice President Fairbanks said in part:

Hopes for Continued Friendship.

"Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen—We cordially welcome our friends from Canada to share in this celebration. The event we commemorate is of mutual interest to the people of the two countries. Here, side by side, are two great locks, one constructed by the United States and the other by the Dominion of Canada. Through them passes interchangeably the commerce of the two countries. Here they stand in close fellowship for centuries to come, discharging their important functions in the transportation of commerce. We trust that they will always be symbolical of the relations and neighborly regard of the two people through whose veins flows the blood of a common ancestry."

Scepter Is Coming Our Way.

"Competition in trade is a vitalizing factor. It is not born of unfriendliness. It has its inspiration in that just self-interest which has been the life of trade from the beginning until now. * * * The scepter of commercial power is speedily passing into American control. If we are but true to the vast opportunities which lie at our hands, the United States will become the acknowledged leader in the commerce of the world. The conquest will be achieved by the men of trade and not by the men of war. It will come by a short of irresistible law of commercial gravity."

Why We Are Getting There.

"It will come because of our increased productive capacity; because of our superior ability to supply the needs of others; because of the illimitable resources of our multiplied methods and enlarged facilities of cheap transportation from the centers of production down to the seaboard. We take pride in our commerce because it tends to lift the country to a higher and better level. It tends to equalize conditions. * * * A higher civilization follows in its pathway."

REMARKS OF CANADIANS

One Promises a Twenty-Foot Channel from the Lakes to the Sea.

Rodolph Lomieux, solicitor general of Canada, said that "If ever there was an occasion when both Americans and Canadians should unite in the celebration of an event calculated to bring—may, to assure peace and harmony between the two countries—this indeed was the most fitting, the most appropriate. The great republic and the Dominion of Canada must and will, I trust, forever in their respective spheres of influence look for no other rivalry on this broad continent than that which is the direct outcome of peace. Can it be doubted that with the good will of both, and with a fair policy in matters concerning trade relations, there is not in store for them a future of such brightness as will overshadow all other nations, past or present?"

Raoul Dandurand, speaker of the senate of Canada, said: "Although Canada and America are separated as to allegiance we should have but one aim, but one ideal—the application of the golden rule in our national acts. * * * We know what you have done for the betterment of navigation on the lakes and how helpful you have been to our mariners. We hope to be able before another half century is completed to reciprocate in kind by offering you a direct outlet to the sea through a twenty-foot waterway via the Ottawa and St. Lawrence rivers."

United States Senator Burrows, discussed the "Future of American Commerce." He said: "It is a reproach to the nation that while our entire foreign commerce in 1903 aggregated in value two billion four hundred millions of dollars only two hundred and fourteen millions of dollars, or 9 per cent, was carried in American ships." He hoped for an improvement in this matter in the future. Other speakers were William Livingstone, president of the Lake Carriers' association, and Peter White, president of the Lake Superior canal semi-centennial commission.

Foresters Defeat a Raise.

Boston, Aug. 4.—The attempt to increase the insurance rates in the Catholic Order of Foresters at the convention of the international body in this city, failed, 112 delegates voting in favor and 97 against the change, less than the necessary two-thirds required by the constitution. Subsequently it was voted to refer the matter back to the state and provincial jurisdictions.

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THE WEATHER.

CHICAGO, ILL., AUG 4 9:50 a.m.
The following are the weather indications for Northern Illinois:
Fair in west, showers in east portion tonight and Saturday.

For the week commencing July 30, 1905.

	Max.	Min.	Prep.
Sunday	80	58	—
Monday	85	57	—
Tuesday	82	58	—
Wednesday	80	59	—
Thursday	—	—	—
Friday	—	—	—
Saturday	—	—	—

Ginger Ale that has the ginger in it.

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MISS PROUTY HERE TOMORROW

Will Confer Concerning Outing for the Crippled Children.

This morning Fred Lawton received the following telegram from Miss Prouty who has charge of the crippled children who were here last summer:

"I will go to Dixon Saturday morning, please find place for destitute girl of eight years and brother four years for two weeks outing. Anyone, who would care to give these little tots a good long breath of Dixon's best air for two weeks, is requested by Mr. Lawton to meet the 12:44 train Saturday afternoon. Miss Prouty is coming to Dixon tomorrow to confer with the ladies of the several churches in regard to the entertainment in Dixon of the unfortunate children who are under her supervision. The meeting at which Miss Prouty will speak will be held at the Presbyterian church tomorrow afternoon at 4:30.

Methodist Church.

The subject of Rev. William Craven's Sunday morning sermon will be "The Answer of Wisdom to the Question of Life." All members and friends are requested to be present and strangers especially are invited and made welcome.

Golf Picnic Postponed.

The Golf picnic has been postponed until next week.

—Henry Murphy is home for a brief vacation.

—Christian Henning of Mendota was in Dixon Thursday.

—R. W. Murphy and wife were here from Sterling Thursday.

—George Mason went to Madison, Wis., this morning on business.

—Frank Alschuler, brother of Samuel Alschuler, was here from Aurora yesterday on business.

—Mrs. John H. Byers and children visited relatives in Sterling Thursday.

—W. L. Miller after a several days' visit at the Assembly returned to Haldane this morning.

—Rev. and Mrs. S. M. Wood went to New Jersey this morning after visiting with their daughter, Mrs. E. A. Sickels.

—Benjamin Day city ticket agent for Illinois Central at Peoria arrived in Dixon last night for a two week's vacation.

—Wayne Kasbeer who has been attending the Assembly for several days, returned yesterday to his home at Mendota.

—County Superintendent I. F. Edwards went to DeKalb this morning to confer with the board of trustees of the Normal school.

—Cyrus McCormick returned to his home at Emden this morning after a visit with his friend, Fred J. Wiebers of the Reynolds Wire Co.

—Mrs. Jack Suter of Oregon is in town looking for a house to rent and if she can find a suitable one will soon come back to Dixon to live.

—Dr. Bracelin who has spent the summer at Goodyears in South Dixon has returned to his home in Ohio, very much improved in health.

—Leonard Hawkins and family of Freeport have been visiting relatives here for several days. This morning they went to Elgin and later will go to Chicago.

—Miss Mary Maxwell will return to Dixon August 10th to resume her work after a two months stay in the east at the bedside of her father who passed away July 13th.

—Mrs. Van Meter and Mrs. Ross two of Tipton's most prominent women chaperoned the juvenile band on their trip to this city. They returned to Tipton, Ia., Thursday afternoon very much pleased with cordial treatment received while in this city.

INDEPENDENCE DAY.

According to John Adams, It Should Be July 2.

On the 3d of July, 1776, John Adams, then one of the representatives of Massachusetts in the Continental congress, wrote to his wife Abigail:

"Yesterday the greatest question was decided which was ever debated in America, and a greater perhaps never was nor will be decided among men."

In a second letter, written the same day, he said:

"But the day is past. The 2d of July will be the most memorable epocha in the history of America. I am apt to believe that it will be celebrated by succeeding generations as the great anniversary festival. It ought to be commemorated as the day of deliverance by solemn acts of devotion to God Almighty. It ought to be solemnized with pomp and parade, with shows, games, sports, guns, bells, bonfires and illuminations from one end of this continent to the other from this time forward, forevermore."

When the resolution was taken up on the 2d, all the states, except New York, voted to accept it. Thus, on the 2d day of July, 1776, the independence of the thirteen united colonies from the throne of Great Britain was definitely decided upon. The 2d, and not the 4th, may be called the true date of the separation. We could with propriety celebrate the Fourth two days earlier. That the participants in the work considered the 2d as the true date is shown by the letters written by John Adams, quoted at the beginning of the article. The popular fancy, however, seized upon the 4th, the date of acceptance of Jefferson's more dramatic declaration of the reasons for the separation, as the proper day to celebrate.

The debate upon the document was continued until the afternoon of the 4th, and, says Jefferson, might have run on interminably at any other season of the year. But the weather was oppressively warm, and the hall in which the deputies sat was close to a stable, "whence the hungry flies swarmed thick and fierce, alighting on the legs of the delegates and biting hard through their thin silk stockings. Treason was preferable to discomfort." and at last the delegates were brought to such a state of mind as to agree to the Declaration without further amendment.

It is a mistake to suppose that the document was signed by the delegates on that day. It is improbable that any signing was done save by John Hancock, the president of the congress, and Charles Thomson, the secretary.—Paul Leland Haworth in Harper's Magazine.

ADAPTABILITY.

Adaptability's sails are set to catch any wind that blows.

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When one plan fails the man with adaptation has forty-nine untried others waiting.

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A general in battle, a statesman in office or a financier handling large enterprises without the ability to readily adapt himself to suddenly changed conditions is a misfit.—From Cent Per Cent.

The Shamrock.

In Ireland only one shamrock is known. It is an indigenous species of clover which trails along the ground among the grass in meadows. The trefoil leaves are not more than one-fourth the size of the smallest clover usually seen in America and are pure green in color, without any of the brown shading of white and pink clovers. The creeping stem is hard and fibrous and difficult to dislodge from the earth. On St. Patrick's day the true shamrock has to be searched out among the grass, for, though comparatively plentiful at that season, it grows close to the ground. Later it bears a tiny "white crown" blossom. The information that shamrock is the Arabic word for trefoil may be of service to those interested in the origin of the Irish race.

Varied Commencement Addresses.

An anxious inquirer was discussing with Bishop Prendergast the complex nature of some of his episcopal duties. "I should think you would find giving addresses at commencements particularly trying," said the inquirer questioning. "I do," sighed the bishop. "How can you manage to find anything original to say year after year?" probed the inquirer, determined to get at the root of the matter. "Oh, I don't," said the bishop, his face lighting up and expanding into a whimsical smile. "I don't say anything original. Each time I simply use different adjectives." —Philadelphia Record.

Playing Her Cards.

Tommy—May I stay up a little longer? Ethel—What do you want to stay up for? Tommy—I want to see you and Mr. Green playing cards. Mr. Green—But we are not going to play cards. Tommy—Oh, yes, you are, for I heard mamma saying to Ethel that everything depended on the way in which she played her cards tonight.

His Past and His Present.
"What do you know about his past?" asked Mabel.

"Just enough to make me a little suspicious about his present," said Maud, examining with a magnifying glass the diamond ring the young man had sent her.

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CAKE SALE TOMORROW

The Young Ladies' Sodality of St. Patrick's church will hold a sale of cakes, pies, bread, salads, etc., at the Countryman store, and this will afford an excellent opportunity for parties wishing to take a lunch to the Assembly on Sunday. t1

The Local Market

Dixon, Aug. 4, 1905

Eggs, fresh, per dozen	13
Dairy Butter, per lb.	17
Potatoes bushel	50
Dry Onions, bushel	75
Turnips, bushel	30
Cabbage, dozen	40
Spring Chickens, dressed	20
Lard	10
Honey	10
Turkeys dressed	15
Geese, "	10
Ducks, "	12
Oats (mixed old)	22 1/2
Oats (new white)	24 1/2
Rye	50
Corn	50 1/2
Quoted by Patterson & Glittenane.	
Canners	1 to 2 1/2
Cutters	2 1/2
Fatcows	2 1/2
Good fat hifers	3c
Good hogs	4 80 5 00

At Presbyterian Church.

Rev. Baker of Lena will preach at the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning at 10:30.

—Rochelle Herald: The ball game between the Dixon and Rochelle clubs at the park last Sunday was one of the finest and as closely contested as any game played here this season. They were very evenly matched and the strife manifested by both clubs to secure victory made the game interesting. The score was 1 to 2 in favor of Dixon.

CAMP MEETING

Freeport District United Evangelical Church.

At Oakdale Camp Grounds, August 10th to 21st, 1905. For the above occasion, Illinois Central will sell excursion tickets on August 10th to 21, inclusive, limited to return to August 22nd, from Dixon, to Oakdale, Ill., at \$1.25 for the round trip; \$1.20 from North Dixon.

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